APRIL 2, 1806.

Read the first and second time, and committed to a committee of the whole House, to-morrow.

A Bill.

Supplementary to the act making provision for the payment of claims of citizens of the United States on the government of France.



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BE it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, That the secretary of the treasury shall cause to be paid, at the treasury of the 4 United States, the amount of certain claims of citizens of the United States against the government of France, arising from the Nardan as 6 embargo, in conformity with a certified list of liquidations, anterest 7 by the minister of the public treasury of France, and transmitted by 8 the minister plenipotentiary of the United States, at Paris, to the 9 said secretary; which payments shall be made for such sums, re-10 spectively, as are stated in the above mentioned list of liquidations, 11 to such persons, respectively, as the accounting officers of the trea-12 sury shall determine to be rightfully entitled to the same, and out 13 of the monies heretofore appropriated for the purpose of discharg-14 ing the claims of citizens of the United States against the govern-15 ment of France, the payment of which was assumed by the govern-16 ment of the United States, by virtue of the convention of the 30th 17 April, 1803.